

## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL—NO FEE

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the



- patent application of  
 continuation application of  
 continuation-in-part patent application of  
 divisional application of

prior application information: Examiner Carolyn L. Smith

Inventor(s)/Applicant Identifier: **John D. Baxter et al.**For: **NUCLEAR RECEPTOR LIGANDS AND LIGAND BINDING DOMAINS**

- For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.
- This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates: USSN 60/008,540 filed December 13, 1995, USSN 60/008,543 filed December 13, 1995, USSN 60/008,606 filed December 14, 1995, USSN 08/764,870 filed December 13, 1996, USSN 08/980,115 and USSN 09/637,132, the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.
- "This application claims priority to and benefit of USSN 60/008,540 filed December 13, 1995, USSN 60/008,543, filed December 13, 1995, and USSN 60/008,606 filed December 14, 1995. This application is a continuation of USSN 09/637,132 filed August 10, 2000 which is a divisional of USSN 08/980,115 and which is a continuation-in-part of USSN 08/764,870, priority to and benefit of each of which is claimed by this application."

Enclosed are:

- 410 pages of the description (including specification, claims, abstract and appendix)
- 50 sheet(s) of [X] formal [ ] informal drawing(s) (copy from parent)
- 01 abstract
- 60 number of claims
- a [ ] signed [ ] unsigned Declaration
- a Power of Attorney
- cover sheet
- Application Data Entry Sheet
- Preliminary amendment
- notification of change of [ ] power of attorney [ ] correspondence address filed in prior application
- a petition to extend time to respond in the parent application (copy from parent)
- Patent Application Filing Acknowledgement postcard.
- 1 extra copy of this sheet is enclosed
- a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27  
 ( ) is enclosed  
 ( ) was filed in the prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired
- Small Entity Status is Claimed

In view of the Unsigned Declaration as filed with this application and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(f),  
 Applicant requests deferral of the filing fee until submission of the Missing Parts of Application.

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
407J-981112US**COPY**

In re Application of John D. Baxter, et al.

Application Number: 09/637,132 Filed: August 10, 2000

For NUCLEAR RECEPTOR LIGANDS AND LIGAND BINDING  
DOMAINS

Group Art Unit 1631 Examiner Carolyn L. Smith

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   | \$2010 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____. |        |

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.  
 has already been filed in this application.

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
 The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0893.

I am the  assignee of record of the entire interest.

applicant.

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Date

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